## APPROVED

## Vernon Arts Commission

Special Meeting October 9, 2018

Meeting called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Sandra Justin, Chair.

Members present: Sandra Justin, Conan Schreyer, Anne Kuntz, Bobbi Orne Vincent Bolog (April 1997) Jennifer Kowal, Director of the Arts Center East was also present.

**FUNDING REQUESTS:** The Vernon Arts Commission has received requests totaling \$7,435. Of those requests the Commission was able to fund the following:

The Arts Center East requested \$1,000 to fund Poetry Rocks, 4 poetry sessions led by Peggy Dietz. Vincent Bologna moved Conan Schreyer second to give Arts Center East \$500.00 from the Performer's Budget for the Poetry Rocks program. Passed unanimously.

The Vernon Historical Society requested \$500.00 to hire performers for a historical music program. Vincent Bologna moved, Anne Kuntz, second to approve the funding of \$500. Passed unanimously.

Vernon Center Middle School has requested \$500.00 from the Performers Budget and \$100 from the advertising budget to continue the artwork project in the VCMS courtyard. Vincent Bologna moved, Anne Kuntz second to approve this funding. Passed unanimously.

It was unanimously decided not to fund the request from the 3 three elementary schools for funds for a program with visiting author Lauren Tarchis.

Sandra Justin moved, Anne Kuntz second to fund \$1,000 from the Performers Budget and \$200 from the advertising budget to the Vernon Chorale for their 3 concerts. Passed unanimously.

Sandra Justin moved, Conan Schreyer second to fund \$200 from the Performers Budget to Arts Center East for performers for 2 music sessions. Passed unanimously.

Vincent Bologna moved, Conan Schreyer second to cancel the November 5<sup>th</sup> regularly scheduled meeting. Passed unanimously.

Vincent Bologna moved to adjourn the meeting at 5:32 p.m., second by Conan Schreyer Passed unanimously.

Next meeting will be held December 3, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at Arts Center East.

Respectfully submitted;

Vincent J. Bologna, Secretary